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Stansfield Turner, Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Mr. Turner:

At last month's annual business meeting of the Association of American Geographers in Louisville, Kentucky, the membership in attendance passed by voice vote the following resolution:

"Be it resolved that: The Association of American Geographers insists that the new charter regulating the activities of the CIA explicitly forbid the use of academics as cover for any manner of covert operation

Be it further resolved that: The text of this resolution be communicated immediately in writing to the President of the United States, the Director of the CIA and all relevant committees of Congress charged with regulating and overseeing CIA activities."

Sincerely,

Patricia J. McWethy

Executive Director

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